

service office within the designated time unless otherwise provided by the notice requirements. Notices required to be given immediately may be by telephone or in person and confirmed in writing. The time of the notice will be determined at the time of our receipt of the written notice.

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## **PART 415—FORAGE PRODUCTION CROP INSURANCE REGULATIONS**

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### **Subpart—Regulations for the 1986 Through 1997 Crop Years**

#### **§ 415.1 Availability of forage production crop insurance.**

Insurance shall be offered under the provisions of this subpart on forage production in counties within limits prescribed by, and in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Crop Insurance Act, as amended. The counties shall be designated by the Manager of the Corporation from those approved by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

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#### **§ 415.2 Premium rates, production guarantees, coverage levels, and prices at which indemnities shall be computed.**

(a) The Manager shall establish premium rates, production guarantees, coverage levels, and prices at which indemnities shall be computed for forage

production which will be included in the actuarial table on file in applicable service offices for the county and which may be changed from year to year.

(b) At the time the application for insurance is made, the applicant will elect a coverage level and price at which indemnities will be computed from among those levels and prices contained in the actuarial table for the crop year.

#### **§ 415.3 OMB control numbers.**

OMB control numbers are contained in subpart H to part 400 in title 7 CFR.

#### **§ 415.4 Creditors.**

An interest of a person in an insured crop existing by virtue of a lien, mortgage, garnishment, levy, execution, bankruptcy, involuntary transfer or other similar interest shall not entitle the holder of the interest to any benefit under the contract.

#### **§ 415.5 Good faith reliance on misrepresentation.**

Notwithstanding any other provision of the forage production insurance contract, whenever:

(a) An insured under a contract of crop insurance entered into under these regulations, as a result of a misrepresentation or other erroneous action or advice by an agent or employee of the Corporation (1) is indebted to the Corporation for additional premiums; or (2) has suffered a loss to a crop which is not insured or for which the insured is not entitled to an indemnity because of failure to comply with the terms of the insurance contract, but which the insured believed to be insured, or believed the terms of the insurance contract to have been complied with or waived; and

(b) The Board of Directors of the Corporation, or the Manager in cases involving not more than \$100,000.00, finds that: (1) An agent or employee of the Corporation did in fact make such misrepresentation or take other erroneous action or give erroneous advice; (2) said insured relied thereon in good faith; and (3) to require the payment of the additional premiums or to deny such insured's entitlement to the indemnity would not be fair and equitable, such